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ANNUAL REPORT

ON THE

ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

IN THE

PROVINCE OF COORG

for the year 1890.

BY

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WITH REVIEW BY

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Offg. Chief Commissioner of Coorg.

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Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, (Judicial),—No. 1519—71·91 dated 19th September 1891.

READ—

Letter No. 75—48 dated 12th May 1891 from the Commissioner of Coorg, submitting the report on the administration of criminal justice in Coorg for the year 1890

ORDER THEREON No. 1519—71·91 DATED BNGALORE, 19TH SEPTEMBER 1891.

Colonel T. G. Clarke Officiated as Commissioner throughout the year.

2. Mr. Meiklejohn has given a fair summary of criminal work done in the year, and only a few observations are now necessary.

3. The year under report compares favourably with the one preceding it as regards the state of crime, the decrease in the total number of offences reported during the year being 228, and the ratio of offences to the population being 1·9 as compared with 2·0 in 1889. If we except the breach of contract cases under Act XIII of 1859, there were only 860 cases returned as true in 1890. There was, however, an increase of 64 cases under the offence of theft.

4. There were no cases under the offences of grievous hurt, dacoity and that of receiving stolen property during the year.

5. The total number of cases in which convictions were obtained under grave offences under the Penal Code was only 108.

6. Under the Breach of Contract Act, 1,137 persons were brought to trial as against 1,181 in 1889, and 315 persons were ordered to perform work or repay advances as against 402 in 1889.

7. Though a larger number of cases including those pending from the last year was brought to trial, the number left pending at the close of the year was 75, as against 110 at the end of 1889.

8. The number of persons committed in 1890 was 76 as against 37 in the previous year. This is owing to a large number of persons, *viz.*, 38 having been committed in 2 cases arising out of a faction fight which resulted in the murder of one Coorg.

9. Only 7 persons were convicted summarily as against 23 in 1889.

10. The record as to the detention of witnesses is somewhat less satisfactory. Though there were 5,411 witnesses examined in all as compared with 6,664 in 1889, 232 persons were detained after attendance for 2 days and 104 after attendance of 3 days as against 201 and 52 in the year before; but this is probably due to the judicial officers having been engaged on census work.

11. Although there was an increase in the offences of theft, only 5 persons were sentenced to whipping as against 2 in 1889. Three persons received less than 10 stripes and 2 less than 20. A more frequent infliction of this mode of punishment seems advisable. Both the amounts of fines imposed and those realized were larger than in 1889.

12. The number of appeals during the year was less and also their deviation fell from 30 to 23·4 days.

13. The increase in the value of stamps realized was remarkable, there being an increase of 10,460 rupees over the realization of 1889.

14. This apparently includes civil and revenue receipt as the officer presiding over criminal court also presides over civil and revenue courts and no separation of receipt for stamp in criminal courts has been made.

15. The year under report may be said to present a fair criminal record.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, (Judicial),—No. 1519—71·91 dated 19th September 1891.

JUDICIAL COMMISSIONER'S COURT.

16. The late Sir Oliver St. John, K. C. S. I., R. E., officiated as Judicial Commissioner throughout the year.

17. Including those pending from last year, there were 14 appeals affecting 28 persons for disposal, of which 11 were disposed of leaving 3 pending at the close of the year.

18. There were 29 revision cases affecting 55 persons. All except 2 affecting 3 persons were disposed of.

19. There were 3 cases submitted by the Sessions Judge for confirmation of the sentence of death. Of these, 2 were disposed of, in one, the sentence of death was confirmed and in the other, it was commuted to transportation for life. The 3rd was left pending and has since been disposed of.

CHAS: W. RAVENSHAW, CAPTAIN,
Secretary to the Chief Commissioner.

No. 75—48.

COORG COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

Dated 12th May 1891.

FROM

THE COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward the annual report on criminal justice in the Province of Coorg (with its appendices) for the year 1890 prepared by the District Magistrate.

2. There were 3,396 offences reported against 3,624 in 1889. The chief decrease is in offences under criminal force and assaults. The thefts reported however show an increase of 64 cases.

3. Of the above, 2,741 cases were brought to trial, but in only 750 cases were convictions secured. In the previous year 2,658 cases were brought to trial and convictions obtained in 801 cases. There has thus been an unsatisfactory falling off in the number of convictions obtained, but the falling off is almost entirely in convictions under " Fraudulent Breach of Contract and Local laws." In the more serious offences, such as theft, the convictions obtained compare favorably with that of the previous year, convictions in 80 cases being secured in 1890 against 57 in 1889.

4. Three cases of murder and two of culpable homicide, not amounting to murder, ended in conviction.

5. There were 860 cases involving 1,137 persons disposed of under the Breach of Contract Act against 806 cases involving 1,181 persons. As is usual, most of the cases were withdrawn, the defendants agreeing to work, and were entered as acquittals. Against only 315 persons were formal orders passed.

6. The average duration of cases in the 2nd Class Magistrates' Courts continued high, being 13·4 to 13·5 in 1889. The District Magistrate attributes this to the Subedars being employed on census duty, but both the Munsiffs' Courts, which had no census work to perform, show a longer average than in the year previous. In the 3rd class courts there has been a sensible and satisfactory decrease in the duration of cases. In the superior courts, the duration in the Sessions Court was considerably shorter than in the previous year.

7. There were 68 appeals disposed of against 74 in the previous year. They were promptly disposed of, the average duration being 23·4 to 30 days last year.

8. The receipts of the courts show a net increase over the receipts of the previous year of Rs. 10,459—5—8, while the increase in expenditure was only Rs. 296—11—4.

9. The prescribed tabular statements of the work of the Sessions Court during the year under review, are appended.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. F. MEIKLEJOHN,

Commissioner.

The work of Court of Sessions is shown below for 1890 :—

Name of Judge.	Pending from last year.		Brought to trial.		Total.		Number acquitted.		Convicted.		Pending.		Average duration.	Number of cases in which judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which judge disagreed with assessors.
	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.			
Colonel T. G Clarke	1	1	24	76	25	77	4	41	20	35	1	1	15	23	1

The punishments inflicted by the Sessions Court were as follows :—

Name of Judge.	Death.	Transportation.		Persons sentenced to							Amount of fine imposed.			Amount of fine realized.			Compensation.	
		For life.	For terms.	Imprisonment.			Fine.		Whipping.								Ordered.	Paid.
				With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.	Simple.	With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishments.	In lieu of other punishments.								
Col. T. G. Clarke...	3	3	...	4	25	...	10	...	...	...	370	..	...	396	15	5	...	...

G. F. MEIKLEJOHN,
Sessions Judge.

ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF BENGAL

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BROOKE C. LEGGATT, Esq.,

District Magistrate of Coorg

No. 106—37, dated 4th May 1891.

I have the honor to submit my report on the administration of criminal justice in the province of Coorg for the year 1890.

2. The subjoined table shows the sources of receipts and the variations under the different heads during the past two years.

Sources of receipts.	1890.			1889		
Value of court fee stamps and stamped paper	70,149	14	0	60,274	6	0
Stamp penalty	1,302	8	0	1,224	8	0
Duty on unstamped paper	76	3	0	105	6	0
Duty on insufficiently stamped paper	250	8	0	124	13	0
Sale of unclaimed property	1,665	4	8	997	0	1
Recoveries of costs in suits by paupers	168	12	0	372	7	0
Miscellaneous fines and forfeitures	207	8	8	800	11	6
Criminal fines	4,523	13	7	4,480	6	7
Total ..	78,344	7	11	68,379	10	2
Deduct commission on the sale of court fee stamps and stamped paper	1,126	2	4	1,620	10	3
Net receipts.....	77,218	5	7	66,758	15	11

The total receipts amounted to Rs. 77,218—5—7 against Rs. 66,758-15-11 in 1889. There was a remarkable increase in the sale of court fee stamps and stamped paper, which was apparently due to the institution of a larger number of suits and appeals during the year.

The variations under the remaining heads do not call for any explanation.

The total charges of the courts slightly exceeded the figures for 1889, as shown below:—

	Rs	A	P
1889	69,331	5	0
1890	69,628	0	4

3. The subjoined statement shows the number of offences reported, the number of cases returned as true, the number of cases brought to trial, and persons acquitted and convicted, as compared with the results of the previous year.

Year.	Number of offences reported.	Cases dismissed without issue of process.	Number of cases returned as true	Pending from last year.		Number brought to trial.		Total		Number acquitted		Number Convicted.		Pending.		Ratio of offences to population
				Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons	Cases.	Persons.	Cases	Persons.	Cases.	Persons	Cases.	Persons	
1	2	3	4	5		6		7		8		9		10		11
1889 .	3,624	204	2,548	80	181	2,578	4,322	2,658	4,503	1,746	3,176	801	1,105	110	220	2·0
1890	3,396	264	2,631	110	220	2,631	4,481	2,741	4,701	1,911	3,387	750	1,136	75	168	1·9
Increase .		60	83	30	39	53	159	83	198	165	211		31			
Decrease	228	.										51		35	52	0·1

Note.—Five cases involving ten persons who died or escaped, have been omitted in this statement

4. The number of offences reported during the year shows a decrease of 228. The following offences exhibit a decrease:—

	1889.	1890
Hurt	103	94
Wrongful restraint and confinement	45	34
Criminal force and assault	499	442
Mischief	185	178
Criminal trespass	83	68
Fraudulent breach of contract	1,648	1,361

5. The number of theft cases reported was 306 against 242 in 1889. The offences of criminal intimidation and insult, and cases under the Police Act also show an increase over the figures of the previous year.

6. It is satisfactory to note that although there was a decrease in the number of offences reported, the number of cases dismissed without issue of process by the Magistrates was 264 against 204 in the previous year.

7. As explained in paragraph 8 of the report for 1889, the number of cases returned as true does not include 501 cases which were not brought to trial out of 1,361 cases instituted under Act XIII of 1859 during the year.

8. Including cases pending from the previous year, 2,741 cases involving 4,701 persons were brought to trial during the year. 3,387 persons in 1,911 cases were discharged or acquitted, while 750 cases involving 1,136 persons ended in conviction.

9. If cases under Act XIII of 1859 are eliminated from the returns, the total of offences under all other heads will show an increase of 59 over the corresponding figure for 1889.

10. The percentages of convictions and acquittals to cases reported and to cases brought to trial in 1889 and 1890 are compared below:—

	1889	1890.
1 Convictions to cases reported	22	22
2 Do brought to trial	30	27
3 Acquittals to cases reported	48	56
4 Do brought to trial	65	69

The percentage of convictions is almost stationary, while that of acquittals has risen. This result is not very satisfactory.

11. The following statement shows the classification of offences brought to trial during the year.

Coorg district.	Against the State and public justice.	Against the person.	Against the property.	Other offences under the Indian Penal Code.	Offences under the special and local laws.	Total.
1889	68	646	486	509	949	2,658
1890	50	581	491	519	1,100	2,741
Increase ...	...	...	5	10	151	83
Decrease ...	18	65	...	...	...	...

There was an increase of 83 in the number of cases brought to trial during the year. This increase occurred chiefly in offences under the special and local laws

12. The subjoined statement shows the result of convictions of the following offences:—

Coorg district.	Giving false evidence.		Murder.		Culpable homicide not amounting to murder.		Rape.		Grievous hurt.		Theft.		Cattle theft.		Robbery.		Dacoity		Receiving stolen property.	
	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.	Cases.	Persons convicted.
1889	18	18	1	1	1	1	...	...	3	13	57	90	7	12	1	1	1	1	5	5
1890	14	14	3	5	2	2	..	...	...	...	80	130	7	8	2	3	...	...	...	.
Increase ...	...	...	2	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	23	40	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...
Decrease ...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13	..	...	...	4	...	...	1	1	5	5

There was a decrease in the number of perjury cases which ended in conviction.

13. *Murder.*—Three cases of murder ended in conviction. In the first case a barber who was a man of violent temper and intemperate habits, murdered his wife in a fit of anger by cutting her throat with a razor.

In another case the accused put his wife to death by setting fire to the straw upon which she lay, after tying her hands and legs.

The 3rd case arose out of a faction fight which took place in Beppunad on 31st August 1890 on the occasion of a festival. The principal parties were all Coorgs, and one man (a Coorg) was shot dead in the course of the fracas.

14. Two cases of culpable homicide not amounting to murder also ended in conviction. In one case the accused who was a cooly in a coffee estate killed a brother cooly who was carrying on an intrigue with a girl. In the 2nd case the accused quarrelled with his wife, and in his rage committed a gross assault which caused her death.

15. Eighty cases of ordinary theft involving 130 persons ended in conviction as against 57 cases and 90 persons in 1889.

16. There was a decrease in the number of persons convicted for cattle lifting.

17. Convictions were obtained in two cases of robbery involving three persons·

18. The following table exhibits the miscellaneous proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure:—

Nature of proceedings	Year.	Number of cases disposed of.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.
Proceedings under Chapter VIII to prevent breach of the peace	1889	...	...	...
	1890	3	5	2
Do security for good behaviour	1889	1	...	1
	1890	...	...	...
Do Chapter XII possession	1889	1	1	...
	1890	1	...	1
Frivolous or vexatious complaints, section 250 Criminal Procedure Code, Chapter XX	1889	30	...	34
	1890	55	...	55
Maintenance, Chapter XXXIV	1889	5	4	1
	1890	4	4	...
Forfeiture of recognizance or bail bond under Chapter XLII	1889	19	3	16
	1890	13	4	9

19. Two persons were ordered to furnish security for keeping the peace. In one case, under chapter XII, the Magistrate passed an order in favor of the complainant. There was an increase in the number of complainants dealt with under the provisions of section 250 of the Criminal Procedure Code. As section 250 of the Criminal Procedure Code has lately been repealed, and as the law relating to frivolous or vexatious accusations has been amended by the legislature, I anticipate a diminution in the number of prosecutions for theft, hurt and criminal intimidation which are now common in Coorg and which after enquiry turn out to be false or groundless.

20. There were four applicants for maintenance, but no order was passed against any of the defendants as sufficient grounds were not shown for the Magistrates' interference.

21. The number of persons whose bail bonds and recognizances were ordered to be forfeited was 9 against 16 in the previous year.

22. The following table shows the cases disposed of under the Breach of Contract Act by the several courts in the Province of Coorg during the year 1890:—

Name of the Magistrate.	Ordered to return to work or repay the advance.		Sentenced to imprisonment.		Discharged or acquitted.		Total.	
	Cases.	Persons	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons
1. Brooke C. Leggatt Esq., District Magistrate ...	14	19	4	4	41	42	59	65
2. Mr. M. Belliappa, 2nd Assistant Commissioner ...	8	9	1	1	35	59	44	69
3. „ A Ramaya Punja, Munsiff, Merkara... ..	3	4	1	1	4	4	8	9
4. „ M Gopala Row, Munsiff, Veerajapet... .	6	8	.	.	7	9	13	17
5. „ N Monnappa, Subedar, Merkara Taluk ...	86	98	3	3	290	338	379	439
6. „ K. Pooviah, do Yedenalknad Taluk ..	45	61	5	5	183	235	233	301
7. „ C Timmiah, do Kigatnad Taluk	42	91	2	2	38	80	82	173
8. „ A. Mandanna, do Nanjrajpatna Taluk ..	19	25	..	.	23	39	42	64
Total.....	223	315	16	16	621	806	860	1137

Out of 1,137 persons brought to trial during the year, 806 persons were acquitted and 315 were ordered to perform work or repay advances. The number of persons sentenced to imprisonment for failing to comply with the Magistrates' orders, was 16 as against 22 in 1889. The high percentage of acquittals is due to the withdrawal of the majority of the complaints instituted under this Act. Most of the defendants return to work or repay the advances received by them when warrants are issued for their apprehension.

23. The annexed statement shows the general result of criminal trials in the several courts of the Magistrates in Coorg for 1890.

	Name and class of Magistrate and locality of his court.	Pending at the end of last year.		Brought to trial.		Total.		Brought to trial. Under arrest by Police.		Brought to trial. Upon warrant.		Brought to trial. On summons.		Received by transfer or for higher punishment.		Total.		Discharged or acquitted.		Convicted. Summarily.		Convicted. Regularly.		Referred or sent up for higher punishment.		Committed.		Died, escaped or transferred to another province		Pending.		Average duration of cases.	Remarks.
		Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.		
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15		16		17	18
1	B. B. Nanjappa, Parpattigar and 3rd class Magistrate, Merkaranad ...	11	20	168	307	179	327	45	79	62	97	69	114	3	37	179	327	104	171	..	.	67	108	3	5	...	.	..	..	5	43	6	
2	M. Kariappa, Acting do Murnad ..	..	.	56	110	56	110	1	1	39	66	16	43	...		56	110	40	83	...		14	24	1	1	..	.	...	..	1	2	17	
3	K. Bopu, Parpattigar do Padinalknad .	6	7	82	167	88	174	16	38	34	67	38	69	...	.	88	174	70	140	.	.	13	26	.	.	..		...		5	8	10	
4	K. Nanjappa do Thavnad ...	2	4	44	91	46	95	2	7	20	37	24	51	...	..	46	95	35	77		.	8	11	3	7			..	.	.	.	9	
5	B. Belliappa do Yedenalknad...	11	23	211	402	222	425	30	87	90	146	101	186	1	6	222	425	164	329		.	47	77	3	6	...	...	..	.	8	13	9	
6	K. Moodia do Ammattinad ...	10	14	102	164	112	178	39	51	44	49	29	78		.	112	178	78	130	...	.	23	30	9	12	..		...	2	2	4	10	
7	B. Kalappa do Betiethnad ...	2	3	65	127	67	130	6	7	28	64	33	59	...	.	67	130	43	96			22	30	1	1	.		.		1	3	14	
8	K. Poovia do Hatgatnad ..	4	13	78	166	82	179	8	21	27	46	47	112	..		82	179	49	125	.	.	27	44	1	1	...		.	..	5	9	10	
9	P. Joyappa Acting do Yedavanad ...	8	13	91	139	99	152	20	38	8	11	71	103	..		99	152	71	111	..	.	23	35		...	.			.	5	6	13	
	Total ..	54	97	897	1,673	951	1,770	167	329	352	583	428	815	4	43	951	1,770	654	1,262		.	244	385	21	33				2	32	88	8·8	
1	A. Ramaya Punja, Munsiff and 2nd class Magistrate, Merkara .	1	8	93	141	94	149	13	39	14	27	65	76	2	7	94	149	71	84	...		16	17	1	6	4	40	.	...	2	2	7	
2	M. Gopal Row do Virajpet .	5	5	71	118	76	123	18	29	15	23	31	58	12	13	76	123	46	77	.	.	14	19	4	9	9	14	1	1	2	3	13	
3	N. Monnappa, Subedar and do Merkara taluk	6	12	458	598	464	610	24	56	404	489	35	64	1	1	464	610	355	479	..	..	106	128	1	1				.	2	2	11	
4	K. Moodia do Padinalknad taluk	17	29	147	280	164	309	41	76	48	89	73	140	2	4	164	309	124	249	..	.	36	56	.	.	...				4	4	8	
5	K. Poovia do Yedenalknad do	4	7	325	516	329	523	49	100	215	295	59	120	6	8	329	523	235	391	.		79	106	6	14	..		1	2	8	10	23	
6	C. Thimmia do Kiggatnad do	9	17	189	390	198	407	26	43	66	168	104	194	2	2	198	407	123	268		.	66	124	3	6	...		1	2	5	7	17	
7	A. Mandanna do Nanjarajpatna do	5	10	144	265	149	275	28	70	69	109	51	95	1	1	149	275	87	177	..	...	54	84	1	1		.	1	2	6	11	12	
8	P. Iyanna do Yelsavirshime do	4	29	152	228	156	257	20	42	1	6	135	209	.	..	156	257	98	149	...	...	50	92	2	5	..	..	.		6	11	10	
	Total .	51	117	1,579	2,536	1.630	2,653	219	455	832	1,206	553	956	26	36	1,630	2,653	1,139	1,874	..	...	421	626	18	42	13	54	4	7	35	50	13·4	
1	Mr. M. Belliappa, 2nd Assistant Commissioner and 1st class Magistrate . ..	...	.	72	117	72	117	3	8	59	86	3	3	7	20	72	117	41	70	...	.	19	20	4	10	3	4	1	1	4	12	21	
2	Brooke C. Leggatt, Esq., District Magistrate ..	4	5	134	282	138	287	27	114	88	129	10	17	13	27	138	287	73	140	6	7	40	63	8	42	8	18	...	..	3	17	17	
3	Colonel T. G. Clarke, Sessions Judge	1	1	24	76	25	77	.	..	.	.	.		25	77	25	77	4	41	..	.	20	35			...	...	..		1	1	15	
	Total	5	6	230	475	235	481	30	122	147	215	13	20	45	124	235	481	118	251	6	7	79	118	12	52	11	22	1	1	8	30	16·9	
	Grand Total . .	110	220	2,706	4,684	2,816	4,904	416	906	1,331	2,004	994	1,791	75	203	2,816	4,904	1,911	3,387	6	7	744	1,129	51	127	24	76	5	10	75	168	13·7	

24. Out of 4,904 persons brought to trial during the year, 906 were arrested by the police, 2,004 appeared on warrants issued by the Magistracy, 1,791 attended on summonses and 203 were transferred or committed.

25. The following table shows the results of the trials during 1889 and 1890:—

Persons.	1889.	1890.
Discharged or acquitted	3,176	3,387
Convicted summarily	23	7
Do regularly	1,082	1,129
Referred or sent up for higher punishment	189	203
Died or escaped	2	10
Pending trial at the end of the year	220	168
Total.....	4,692	4,904

26. The subjoined statement shows the amount of work performed by the several classes of Magistrates:—

Class of Magistrates.	Number of cases disposed of.	
	1889.	1890.
Magistrates of the III class	736	919
Do II do	1,612	1,595
Do I do	63	68
District Magistrate	205	135
Sessions Judge	20	24
Total.....	2,636	2,741

27. The 3rd class Magistrates decided 919 cases during the year against 736 cases in 1889. From May 1890 to the end of the year I could not devote much time to Magisterial work as I was appointed Superintendent of the census operations in Coorg. Hence the decrease in the number of cases disposed of in my court.

28. The average duration of criminal trials in the courts of all the Magistrates in the province was 13·7 days against 12·7 days in 1889. There was a rise in the duration of cases before some of the subordinate Magistrates, but this increase was probably unavoidable as all the nad and taluk Magistrates were entrusted with census work in addition to their other duties.

29. The annexed statement shows the detention of witnesses examined in the several courts of the province and amount paid for their expenses.

No.	Name and class of Magistrate and locality of his court.	No. discharged after attendence for					Amount granted for expenses of witnesses.		
		1 day.	2 days.	3 days.	4 days.	More than 4 days			
1	B. B. Nanjappa, Parpattigar and 3rd class Magistrate, Merkaranad.	487	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	M. Karriappa, Acting do do Murnad ...	136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	K. Bopu do do Padinalknad...	156	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	K. Nanjappa do do Thavnad ...	130	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	B. Belliappa do do Yedenalknad .	592	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	K. Mooddia do do Ammattinad...	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	B. Kallappa do do Bettiethnad ...	152	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	K. Poovia do do Hatgatnad ...	252	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	P. Joyappa do do Yedevanad ...	395	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total.....	2413	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	A. Ramaiya Punja, Munsiff and 2nd class Magistrate, Merkara ...	155	32	6	...	...	...	...	...
2	M. Gopala Row do do Virajapet ...	244	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	N. Monnappa, Subedar do Merkara Taluk. ...	372	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	K. Mooddia do do Padinalknad Taluk ...	380	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	K. Poovia do do Yedenalknad „ ...	331	36	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	C. Thimmia do do Kiggatnad „ ...	369	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	A. Mandanna do do Nanjrajpatna „ ...	256	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	P. Iyanna do do Yelsavirashime „ ...	516	33	4	...	...	...	...	...
	Total.....	2623	128	10	...	...	...	...	...
1	Mr. M. Belliappa, 2nd Asst. Commissioner and 1st class Magistrate.	147	1	...	...	...	23	0	0
2	Brooke C. Leggat, Esq., District Magistrate	165	42	6	3	...	71	9	0
3	Colonel T. G. Clarke, Sessions Judge of Coorg	63	49	88	...	...	516	0	0
	Total.....	375	92	94	3	...	610	9	0
	Grand Total.....	5411	232	104	3	...	610	9	0

The total number of witnesses examined by the several courts, was 5,750 as against 5,941 in 1889. The batta paid to the witnesses also decreased from 688—3—4 to Rs. 610—9—0 in the year under report.

30. The subjoined statement shows the punishments inflicted by the several courts in the province of Coorg during the year 1890.

Name and class of Magistrate and locality of his court.	Death.	Transportation.	Persons sentenced to Imprisonment. Rigorous. With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.	Simple.	Fines. With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	Whipping. In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.	Amount of fines imposed.	Amount realized.	Compensation. Ordered.	Paid.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1 B. B Nanjappa, Parpattigar and 3rd class Magistrate, Merkaranad ...	...	...	...	5	4	1	99	...	...	348 0 0	332 0 0	77 0 0	40 0 0	
2 M. Kariappa do Murnad ...	...	...	..	..	7	4	9	13	...	...	126 0 0	126 0 0	35 0 0	10 0 0	
3 K. Bopu do Padinalknad ..	...	...	...	.	1	...	1	25	...	...	222 0 0	222 0 0	20 0 0	.. ...	
4 K. Nanjappa do Thavnad ...	..	...	...	...	3	...	3	8	...	...	77 8 0	62 8 0	23 0 0	... ..	
5 B. Belhappa do Yedenalknad ...	..	...	...	...	5	...	..	72	...	...	427 12 0	421 12 0	.. ..	.. ...	
6 K. Moodia do Ammattinad ...	...	...	...	...	9	2	5	19	...	..	161 8 0	159 8 0	26 0 0	24 0 0	
7 B. Kalappa do Bettiethnad ...	...	...	..	...	5	1	4	24	...	...	187 4 0	187 4 0	15 0 0	... .	
8 K. Poovaiah do Hatgatnad ..	...	..	...	..	5	2	4	37	...	...	238 4 0	208 4 0	15 0 0	.. .. ..	
9 P. Jonyappa do Yedavanad ...	...	..	..	..	3	.	1	33	...	...	117 0 0	117 0 0	4 8 0	2 0 0	
Total ..	..	...	...	43	13	28	330	..	...	1,905 4 0	1,836 4 0	213 8 0	76 0 0	
1 A. Ramaya Punja, Munsiff and 2nd class Magistrate, Merkara	...	...	...	6	1	6	6	..	...	304 0 0	219 0 0	140 0 0	.	4 persons ordered to return to work or repay advances.
2 M. Gopala Row do Virajpet ...	...	...	...	2	...	1	9	...	...	105 0 0	95 0 0	. .	7 0 0	8 do do
3 N. Monnappa, Subedar and do Merkara taluk ...	..	...	..	15	...	5	15	...	.	398 0 0	248 0 0	254 0 0	56 0 0	98 do do
4 K. Moodia do Padinalknad taluk ...	...	...		27	...	8	29	.	.	1,091 0 0	761 0 0	690 0 0	368 0 0	
5 K. Poovia do Yedenalknad ,, ...	...	...	...	28	...	2	15	...	...	415 0 0	365 0 0	185 0 0	60 0 0	61 do do
6 C. Thimmia do Kiggatnad ,, ...	..	...	..	7	...	2	23	...	..	426 8 0	403 8 0	175 0 0	15 0 0	91 do do
7 A. Mandanna do Nanjarajpatna ,, ...	...	..	...	4	...	..	56	.	..	344 4 0	294 4 0	90 0 0	103 0 0	25 do do
8 P. Iyanna do Yelavirahune ,, ...	..	..	..	16	...	4	77		.	549 8 0	549 8 0	100 0 0	150 0 0	
Total	...	...	.	105	1	28	230	.	...	3,633 4 0	2,938 4 0	1,618 0 0	759 0 0	287 do do
1 Mr. M. Belliappa, 2nd Assistant Commissioner and 1st class Magistrate ..	...	...	...	2	1	1	8	..	...	128 0 0	128 0 0	44 0 0	11 0 0	9 do do
2 Brooke C. Leggatt, Esq., District Magistrate	...	..	...	33	1	5	12	...	5	1,667 0 0	1,212 5 3	105 0 0	55 0 0	19 do do
3 Colonel T. G Clarke, Sessions Judge of Coorg ..	3	3	4	25	...	10	...	...	...	370 0 0	396 15 5	... .	. .. ..	
Total	3	3	4	61	2	16	20	...	5	2,165 0 0	1,737 4 8	149 0 0	66 0 0	28 do do
Grand Total ...	3	3	4	208	16	72	580	...	5	7,703 8 0	6,511 12 8	1 980 8 0	901 0 0	315 do do

Two persons were ordered to furnish security to keep the peace.

31. During the year under report 3 persons were sentenced to death and 3 to transportation. The number of persons sentenced to imprisonment was 228. Fines were imposed on 652 persons, whipping was awarded to 5 persons, and 2 persons were ordered to give security to keep the peace. 315 persons were ordered under Act XIII of 1859 to repay advances or to perform work according to their contract. The number of persons who were sentenced to imprisonment as well as fine was 72 against 83 in 1889.

32. The following table shows the details of imprisonment, fine and whipping awarded by the criminal courts during the years 1889 and 1890 :—

Year.	Imprisonment.					Fine.						Whipping.		
	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	10 stripes and under	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
1889	61	137	4	7	...	441	113	15	3	...	...	2	...	...
1890	71	135	18	3	1	515	119	15	2	1	...	3	2	...

33. The fines imposed during the year amounted to Rs. 7,703—8—0. Including a sum of Rs. 3,281—15—4 which represents the arrears due on account of fines imposed in the previous years, the total amount for realization was Rs. 10,985-7-4. The actual recoveries during the year amounted to Rs. 6,511—12—8. The amount remitted or refunded on appeal was Rs. 1,241—7—7. The outstandings on account of fines at the close of the year amounted to Rs. 3,232—3—1. The percentage of recoveries to fines imposed was 58 against 68 in 1889. The amount collected during the year includes a sum of Rs. 1,987—10—1 recovered on account of fines imposed in the previous years. Out of Rs. 1,980—8—0 awarded as compensation under section 545 of the Criminal Procedure Code, Rs. 901 were actually paid to the parties, as the fines in many cases were not realized.

34. The following table exhibits the work performed by the following appellate courts in Coorg :—

Name and class of Magistrate and locality of his court.	Appeals pending from last year.		Appeals received during the year.		Total.		Rejected.		Sentences confirmed.		Sentences reduced or altered.		Sentences reversed.		New trial or further enquiry ordered.		Pending.		Average duration of each appeal.	Remarks.
1	2		3		4		5		6		7		8		9		10		11	12
	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.		
Brooke C. Leggatt, Esq., District Magistrate of Coorg ...	8	15	56	108	64	123	...	...	37	73	4	10	19	35	1	1	3	4	25	1 Case and 1 Person transferred to Judicial Commissioner's Court.
Colonel T. G. Clarke, Sessions Judge of Coorg ...	...	...	8	10	8	10	...	...	6	8	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	1	10	
Total.....	8	15	64	118	72	133	...	...	43	81	4	10	19	35	1	1	4	5	23·4	

35. There was a decrease in the number of appeals instituted during the year. Out of 72 appeals involving 133 persons, 81 persons in 43 cases were wholly unsuccessful, the sentences passed upon 10 persons in 4 cases were reduced or altered, 19 cases involving 35 persons were decided in favor of the appellants, further enquiry was ordered in the case of one person, and 4 appeals involving 5 persons were pending at the end of the year.

The average duration of each appeal was 23·4 days against 30 days in 1889.

36. There were 95 applicants for revision before the courts during the year. The applications of 56 persons were rejected, further enquiry was ordered in the cases of 14 persons, the cases of 21 persons were referred for the orders of the Judial Commissioner and the applications of 4 persons were pending at the end of the year.

37. During the year, the records and registers of 12 subordinate courts were inspected by me and the errors detected on examination, were pointed out to the Magistrates concerned.

38. All the subordinate courts have submitted certificates regarding the arrangement and destruction of old records.

39. Seven European British subjects were accused and brought before my court during the year. One person was charged with assault, two with theft, three with mischief and one with defamation. Five persons were convicted and the remaining two were acquitted. In a case of defamation the accused claimed to be tried by a jury, but the charge was withdrawn by the complainant before the commencement of the trial.

40. The Magistrates in the province have done fairly well during the year under report, and I have again to record the satisfactory manner in which my Sheristedar, Mr. Ramaswamy Iyengar, has conducted his responsible duties, which have not been, by any means, light.

BROOKE C. LEGGATT

District Magistrate of Coorg.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT.—(CRIMINAL.)

1. Statement showing the general result of the trial of European British subjects in the province of Coorg in the year 1890.

| Description of offence. | Number of persons accused and brought before a Magistrate. | | | | | | | | Persons whose cases were disposed of. | | | | | | | |

Offences affecting the human body, chapter XVI	Offences affecting life																															
	Causing miscarriage; injuries to unborn children; exposure of infants, and the concealment of births																															
	Hurt																															
	Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement																															
	Criminal force and assault	1			1	1			1				1									1	1		1	1						
	Kidnapping, forceable abduction, slavery and forced labor																															
	Rape																															
	Unnatural offence.																															
Offences against property, chapter XVII	Theft		2		2	2		2				2	..	...			..	...	...	2		2	..	1	1	...	..					
	Extortion																															
	Robbery and dacoity																															
	Criminal misappropriation of property																															
	Criminal breach of trust																															
	Receiving of stolen property																															
	Cheating																															
	Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property																															
	Mischief	1	2	...	3	3	...	3			...	..	3	..		...		...		3	..	3	...	3	3	...						
	Criminal trespass																															
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, chapter XVIII																																
Criminal breach of contracts of service, chapter XIX																																
Offences relating to marriage, chapter XX																																
Defamation, chapter XXI		1			1	1		...	1	...			1			...		...		..	...	1	1	1	1						
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance, chapter XXII																																
Offences under special and local laws																																
Total		3	4		7	7		5	2	...			7						.	5	2	7		6	6						

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. I.—(Civil and Criminal).

Statement showing the number of judicial divisions and the number of officers exercising appellate or original jurisdiction in the Province of Coorg on the last day of the year 1890, with the cost of tribunals

Name of province		Area	Population.	Number of divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of districts.	Number of districts	Number of sub-districts.	Total number of officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction: Judges of Chief Court of province.	Judges of other courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of districts	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other subordinate Courts.	Total number of cases decided: Original: Regular	Original: Miscellaneous	Appeals: Regular	Appeals: Miscellaneous.	Total receipts of the Courts	Total charges of the Courts	Remarks
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Province of Coorg. Territory subject to the High Court	Civil	1,583 square miles.	1,78,302		1		1		1	2	13	3,876	1,231	*132	*22	*78,863—9—7	*71,710—10—9	
	Criminal			1	1		1		2		18	2,661	76	*78	*35			
Total																		

Grades of judicial officers.		Europeans.	Natives.
Officers exercising both original and appellate jurisdiction.	1 District Magistrate 1 Sessions Judge 1 Judicial Commissioner.	3	18
Officers exercising original jurisdiction only	1 1st class Magistrate 8 2nd class Magistrates. 9 3rd class Magistrates.		

* Includes the figures of the Judicial Commissioner's Court.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(Criminal.)

Statement of offences reported and of persons tried, convicted and acquitted of each class of offence in the province of Coorg in the year 1890.

Description of offence.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of persons. Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred to another province.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the State, chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code...									
Do relating to the Army and Navy, Chapter VII									
Do against the public tranquillity do VIII	16	12	13	171	69	50	...	52	
Do by or relating to public servants do IX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants... ... do X	9	9	10	15	3	12	...	...	
False evidence and offences against public justice ... ... do XI	13	13	18	18	3	14	...	1	
Offences relating to coin and Government stamps ... ... do XII	3	3	3	11	5	6	...	...	
Do relating to weights and measures do XIII	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Do affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals do XIV	6	4	5	19	17	2	...	...	
Do relating to religion ... do XV	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Offences affecting human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life ...	7	7	9	34	27	7	...	...	
Causing of miscarriage; injuries to unborn children; exposure of infants; and the concealment of births...	4	4	5	9	4	2	...	3	
Hurt	94	82	90	185	132	45	1	7	1 died.
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement ...	34	28	30	57	51	4	...	2	
Criminal force and assault ...	442	427	444	898	774	103	...	21	In 29 cases, the complainants were ordered to pay compensation under section 250 C. P. Code. 2 died and 2 escaped.
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labor	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	
Rape	2	2	2	2	2	...	...	...	
Unnatural offence ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Theft	306	191	213	408	248	138	4	18	
Extortion	4	2	3	4	1	3	...	...	
Robbery and dacoity ...	9	9	9	16	10	3	...	3	
Criminal misappropriation of property	6	6	6	18	15	3	...	...	
Criminal breach of trust ...	55	40	40	74	45	24	...	5	
Receiving of stolen property.	7	7	7	8	6	...	...	2	
Cheating	20	9	10	13	9	3	1	...	1 escaped.
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mischief	178	146	153	236	194	28	...	11	In 23 cases, the complainants were ordered to pay compensations sec. 250 C. P. Code.
Criminal trespass ...	68	47	50	158	117	30	*1	10	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII	2	2	2	9	9	...	...	...	
Criminal breach of contracts of service ... do XIX	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	
Offences relating to marriage ... do XX	18	16	17	30	25	1	...	4	
Defamation ... do XXI	3	3	3	3	2	1	...	...	*1 escaped.
Criminal intimidation, insult, and annoyance ... do XXII	489	467	497	818	669	124	3	22	3 died.
Offences under Special and Local laws.									
Police Act V of 1861	100	100	100	141	18	120	...	3	
Municipal Bye-laws	12	12	12	16	2	14	...	...	
Cattle Trespass Act I of 1871	28	23	24	38	28	7	...	3	In 3 cases, the complainants were ordered to pay compensation under section 250 C. P. Code.
Coffee Stealing Prevention Act VIII of 1878 ...	2	2	2	5	4	1	...	...	
Excise Act XXII of 1881	9	9	9	13	5	8	...	...	
Gambling Act	5	5	8	20	3	17	...	...	
Forest Act VII of 1878	6	6	8	30	3	26	...	1	
Vaccination Act XIII of 1880	72	72	72	72	71	1	...	...	
Arms Act	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Criminal Procedure Code (contempt of Court) ...	1	1	1	8	4	4	...	...	
Act XIII of 1859 (Breach of Contract) ...	1,361	860	860	1,137	806	331	...	...	
Proceedings under Chapter VIII to prevent breach of the peace	3	3	3	7	5	2	...	...	
Do Security for good behaviour ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total.....	3,396	2,631	2,741	4,701	3,387	1,136	10	168	6 died and 4 escaped.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—(Criminal.)

Statement of miscellaneous proceedings under the Criminal Procedure Code in the province of Coorg during the year 1890.

Nature of proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Proceedings against witnesses under chapter VI C and section 485 ...	...	...	...	...	
2. Proceedings under chapter VIII to prevent breach of the peace ...	3	7	5	2	
3. Proceedings under chapter VIII—security for good behaviour ...	...	...	...	.	
4. Proceedings against local nuisances, chapter X	...	...	...	...	
5. Possession, chapter XII	1	1	...	1	
6. Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under chapter XX, section 250	55	55	...	55	
7. Non-attendance of jurors or assessors, chapter XXIII, section 332 ...	...	...	...	...	
8. Contempts of Court under chapter XXXV	...	...	...	..	
9. Maintenance, chapter XXXIV	4	4	4	..	
10. Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under chapter XLII	13	13	4	9	
Total.....	76	80	13	67	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(Criminal)

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the province of Coorg in the year 1890.

Class of Courts.	Total number of persons under trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of.					Persons remaining under trial at the end of the year.	Number of cases disposed of during the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses examined.	Remarks.
		Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Discharged or acquitted.	Convicted. On regular trial.	Convicted. On summary trial.	Committed or referred.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Courts of Sessions	77	...	41	35	...	...	1	24	15	200	
District Magistrate's Court	287	...	140	63	7	60	17	119	17	216	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly	4,540	10	3,206	1,031	...	143	150	2,518	12·3	5,334	
Total.....	4,904	10	3,387	1,129	7	203	168	2,661	12·5	5,750	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V.—(Criminal.)

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by the various criminal tribunals in the province of Coorg in the year 1890.

Class of Tribunal.	Persons sentenced to										Detail of punishment.																	
				Imprisonment.							Fined.									Imprisonment.					Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine.	Whipping.	Persons ordered to find or give security or recognizance to keep the peace or sureties for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realized during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a reformatory school.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Court of Sessions ...	3	3	...	29	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	8	2	...	...	...	370 0 0	396 15 5	...	...	16	9	3	1	...	...	...	..
District Magistrate's Court	...	...	...	33	1	...	17	5	2	...	8	5	1	2	1	...	1,667 0 0	1,212 5 3	55 0 0	2	23	9	...	...	3	2	...	...
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly ...	...	...	...	150	15	...	625	...	...	...	507	106	12	...	...	...	5,666 8 0	4,902 8 0	846 0 0	69	96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total.....	3	3	...	212	16	...	652	5	2	...	515	119	15	2	1	...	7,703 8 0	6,511 12 8	901 0 0	71	135	18	3	1	3	2	...	...

Note.—315 persons were ordered under Act XIII of 1859 to repay advances, or to perform work according to the contract.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 5 A.—(Criminal)

Statement showing the particulars of whippings inflicted by the criminal tribunals during 1890.

Part I.

Showing whippings inflicted under sections 2 and 3, Act VI, 1864, in lieu of other punishments.

Offence for which awarded.	Number of stripes awarded.												
	5 and under.		6 to 10.		11 to 15.		16 to 20.		21 to 25.		26 to 30.		Total.
	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
In lieu of other punishments (sections 2 and 3, Act VI, 1864.)													
1. Theft as defined in { Section 378 I. P. C. / do 380 do / do 381 do / do 382 do }	..	..	2		2	...	..	..	...	..	.		4
2. Extortion as defined in { do 388 do / do 389 do }													
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property as defined in— { do 411 do / do 412 do }													
4. Lurking house-trespass as defined in— { do 443 do }													
5. Do by night as defined in— { do 444 do }													
6. House-breaking as defined in— { do 445 do }													
7. Do by night as defined in— { do 446 do }													
8. Offence under section 14, Act III of 1880.													
Mischief, section 428 I. P. Code	...	..	1	...	...	...	..	.	.	..	...	.	1
Total ..	...	..	3	...	2	..	..		..	..	..		5

Part II.

Showing whippings inflicted in addition to other punishments, sections 3 and 4, Act VI, 1864.

Offence for which awarded.	Number of stripes. 5 and under.	6 to 10.	11 to 15.	16 to 20.	21 to 25.	26 to 30.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
In addition to other punishments (sections 3 and 4.)							
A.—Section 3.							
1. Theft as defined in — Section 378 I. P. C.							
do 380 do							
do 381 do							
do 382 do							
2. Extortion as defined in — do 388 do							
do 389 do							
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property, as defined in — do 411 do							
do 412 do							
4. Lurking house-trespass, as defined in — do 443 do							
5. Do by night as defined in — do 444 do							
6. House-breaking as defined in — do 445 do							
7 Do by night as defined in — do 446 do							
8 Offence under section 14, Act III, 1880							
B —Section 4.							
1. False evidence as defined in — Section 193 I. P. C.							
do 194 do							
do 195 do							
2. False charge of unnatural offence as defined in — do 211 do and							
do 377 do							
3. Assault as defined in — do 354 do							
4. Rape, as defined in — do 375 do							
5. Unnatural offence as defined in — do 377 do							
6. Robbery as defined in — do 390 do							
7. Dacoity as defined in — do 391 do							
8. Attempt at robbery as defined in — do 393 do							
9 Hurt in committing robbery as defined in — do 394 do							
10 Receiving stolen property as defined in — do 413 do							
11. Forgery as defined in — do 463 do							
do 466 do							
do 467 do							
do 468 do							
do 469 do							
12. Lurking house-trespass as defined in — do 443 do							
13. Do by night as defined in — do 444 do							
14. House-breaking as defined in — do 445 do							
15. Do by night as defined in — do 446 do							
Total							

Part III.

Showing whippings inflicted under Section 5, Act VI, 1864, on juveniles, for offences other than those specified in Parts I and II.

Offence.	Stripes. 5 and under. 1st conviction.	5 and under. Subsequent conviction.	6 to 10. 1st conviction.	6 to 10. Subsequent conviction.	11 to 15. 1st conviction.	11 to 15. Subsequent conviction.	16 to 20. 1st conviction.	16 to 20. Subsequent conviction.	21 to 25. 1st conviction.	21 to 25. Subsequent conviction.	26 to 30. 1st conviction.	26 to 30. Subsequent conviction.	Total.
Section 193 I. P. C.													
,, 249 do													
,, 323 do													
,, 324 do													
,, 325 do													
,, 352 do													
,, 354 do and Section 5, Act VI of 1864.													
,, 376 I. P. C.													
,, 377 do													
,, 379 &c. do													
,, 471 do													
,, 431 do													
,, 448 do													
,, 451 do													
Sections 456 and 511 I. P. C. Railway Act IV of 1879.													
Total													

Part IV.

Showing relative number of times whipping was awarded, as compared with other punishments.

Punishments.	Number.	Remarks.
1	2	3
Total number of whippings awarded .	5	
Total number of other punishments ...	1,203	
Percentage of whipping	·41	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 6.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in criminal cases in the province of Coorg in the year 1890.

Tribunals	Number of persons.											Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.	Remarks
	Total number of appellants and applicants for revision before the Courts.	Died, escaped, transferred to another province	Appeals or applications rejected	Sentence or order confirmed	Sentence enhanced.	Sentence reduced or otherwise altered.	Sentence reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	New trial or further enquiry ordered.	Referred for revision to the High Court.	Pending.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
APPEALS													
To Chief Magistrates of District	123			73		10	35		1		4	25	
,, Court of Sessions	10			8							1	10	One case was transferred to Judicial Commissioner's Court.
,, Judicial Commissioner's Court { By persons convicted / By Government from judgment of acquittal }	20			6		4		1			9	54·7	
Total	153			87		14	35	1	1		14		
REVISION.													
By Chief Magistrate of Districts	12		46						12	17	3	10	66 complainants on whose behalf applications for revision were made are not included in column 2.
,, Court of Sessions	5		10						2	4	1	*12	
,, Judicial Commissioner's Court	55			29	7	4	5	7			3	34·2	*12 do do
Total	72		56	29	7	4	5	7	14	21	7		
Grand total	225		56	116	7	18	40	8	15	21	21		

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 13.—(CRIMINAL.)

13. Statement showing the use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts in the province of Coorg in the year 1890.

Classes of Courts in which jurors or assessors are employed distinguishing criminal from civil Courts.		Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case, and prescribed qualifications.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Jury trials.					Assessors' trials.			Remarks.
					Cases in which the judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the judge did not approve of the verdict.		Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the judge disapproved.		Number of cases in which judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which judge differed from—		
						Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under section 263, C. P. C.	Whose cases he did not refer under section 263, C.P.C.		One assessor.	Both assessors.	
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I.—CIVIL COURTS.													
Chief Courts of Districts (or officer specially empowered) acting under Act X of 1870.	Assessors...												
II.—CRIMINAL COURTS.													
Magistrates' Courts under Chapter XXXIX, C. P. C.	Assessors...												
Court of Session	Assessors...	3	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	23	1	...	
Judicial Commissioner's Court, criminal jurisdiction.	Assessors...												
	Total.....	3	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	23	1	...	

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